# Sunday, June 18, 2017 THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST **CORPUS CHRISTI**

**READINGS**: Deuteronomy 8.2-3, 14-16 1 Corinthians 10.16-17 **Psalm:** 147 **Gospel:** John 6.51-59

#### Saturday, June 17 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: Josephine Sawatis – Memorial belated birthday (May 30th), and Joseph Sawatis – Memorial Mass Requested by Anna Marie Sawatis

and the Sawatis Family

Altar Servers: Megan, Philip, Morgan **Lectors:** Norman Tarbell and Jamie Bay

## Sunday, June 18 - 10:00 am BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST Father's Day

Offered for: For all fathers, living and deceased Altar Servers: Reagan, Analeyna, Rylie and Kenia Abram Benedict and Rose Alma McDonald

#### Tuesday, June 20 – 7:00 pm

Offered for: Mary Mae Thompson – Memorial Mass From the funeral collection

### Wednesday, June 21 - 10:00 am lakhihsohtha Lodge

Offered for: Reginald Mitchell – Memorial Mass From the funeral collection

# Thursday, June 22 - 12:10 pm

Offered for: Alex Arguette – Memorial Mass From the funeral collection

## Friday, June 23 – 12:10 pm

Offered for: Mrs. Rose Terrance and Stella Hamelin -

Memorial Mass

# Requested by Sally Hamelin

Saturday, June 24 - 4:00 pm Offered for: Thomas Sunday – Memorial Mass From the funeral collection

Altar Servers: Cheyenne, Keon and Summer Janine Rourke and Amanda Rourke

#### Saturday, June 24 – 6:30 pm

Offered for: Agnes Bero – Memorial Mass

From the funeral collection Altar Servers: Megan, Phillip and Morgan

### Sunday, June 25 – 10:00 am

Offered for: Ann Terrance – 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary (June 23<sup>rd</sup>) Requested by husband Eddie Terrance

and Family

Altar Servers: Reagan, Analeyna, Rylie and Kenia Lisa Tarbell and Bernice Lazore

### **SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI** (THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST)

As we celebrate this feast of Corpus Christi, let us meditate on the supreme gift that Jesus, Son of God, instituted at the Last Supper so that He could remain with us. *The Divine* Office reminds us today:

Know that in this bread is the Body of Christ which hung upon the cross and in this cup is the Blood of Christ which flowed from His side. Take, therefore, and eat His Body; take and drink His Blood, and you will become members of His Body. Eat this sacred food so that your bond of unity with Christ may never be broken. Drink this sacred blood, the price He paid for vou so that vou will never lose heart because of vour sinfulness.

Let us try to study Sacred Scripture this week and try to grow in adoration, reverence, and love for the Blessed Sacrament. The Letter of St. Paul to Corinthians will help as we examine our attitude toward Mass and the Eucharist. Do we keep holy the Lord's Day by coming to Mass each Sunday? Are we attentive, reverent and silent in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament or do we distract others who are trying to pray? Do we appreciate the Sacrifice of Jesus on the cross and renewed on the altar by offering the whole Mass with the priest? Or do we come late and leave early like Judas who left the Last Supper early and went out to betray Jesus? If we have not been practicing our faith for some time and are aware of serious (mortal) not confessed, do we receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation first before receiving the Body and Blood of Christ? Do we make Sunday Mass a priority for our family, no matter what other events are on our weekly schedule? The family that prays together stays together.

# AHONWASENNNAIEN IESOS OKARISTIIAKON! BLESSED BE JESUS IN THE HOLY EUCHARIST!

# FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS --FRIDAY AFTER CORPUS CHRISTI

On this feast, Jesus invites us to enter into His Sacred Heart, to lose ourselves in His Love and to discover the power of that love to heal our hurts.

Heart of Jesus, fount of life and holiness, full of goodness and love, In You are all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. Heart of Jesus, our peace and reconciliation, You are patient and rich in mercy. Teach us to be Your compassion for our needy world and for each other. AMEN.

# The Lord's Prayer (in Mohawk)

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni jot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ja kion he kon, nia te wen ni se ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens. NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA. NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA. KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA. SA WEN'K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE – E THO E THO NA IA WEN.

### JUNE 18 – THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

I HEARD AN expert on poetry remark recently that poetry is language that mirrors the soul. Jesus must have understood this, for he almost always turned to the language of poetry to convey to his listeners what was most important for them to understand: he is the gate of the sheepfold; he is the source of living water; he is the vine and they the branches – and in today's gospel, he says that to follow him it is essential to eat his body and drink his blood. Jesus longs to convey to us just how profoundly we must remain in his love if we are going to understand his ministry and find strength to live out joyfully our own calling to be God's presence of loving compassion in our broken world. In the Eucharist we are invited to grasp the depth of the love of God for us and for our world, and to unite our own joy and pain with those of Christ. Usually we receive the Eucharist with others. The Eucharist is a call to community. Together we draw strength and offer thanks, trusting in the wisdom of Pope Francis who has reminded us that the Eucharist is not "a prize for the perfect but... nourishment for the weak." (Evangellii Gaudium, 47) Beth Porter, Richmond Hill, ON.

### FEAST OF THE BIRTH OF ST. JOHN THE **BAPTIST-- JUNE 24**

### "You have formed my inmost being; you knit me in my mother's womb." (Psalm 139);

The miraculous conception of John the Baptist in Elizabeth's womb, foretold to her aged husband, Zachary by an Angel, began a life of special service to the Lord. As the Precursor of the Messiah, John considered himself unworthy even to untie the sandals of Jesus. "He must increase. I must decrease." "I AM THE VOICE OF ONE CRYING IN THE WILDERNESS, "PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD!"

As each one of us was knit by God in a mother's womb, we too are wonderfully made! God had a special plan for us even before He created us. Are we living out this life according to His expectations?

### WE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THE DECEASED

Sacred Heart of Jesus, we commend to Your healing love Arthur Tarbell, Orlo Ransom, Clyde Cree, Francis Cree, Nancy Phillips, April Benedict, Isabelle Rourke, Marita Francis, Philip Francis, Hilda Smoke, and all who suffer alone or in the hospitals, nursing homes, and rehabilitation centers.

May all who have died have eternal rest in You, especially Sarah Day, Eunice Chubb, Frank Delormier, and Mathew White.

Grant peace and consolation to their families and friends. We ask this in Your name, Jesus Our Lord. Amen.

### **Baptism Seminar**

Next session is scheduled for June 20<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 5:30 pm at the St. Kateri Center. Please obtain and complete a registration / information sheet, and provide a copy of the child(ren)'s Birth Certificate prior to attending. Thank you.

### **CAMP GUGGENHEIM REGISTRATION**

The 2017 season is almost here! Weeks 1-5 are open to 12-15 year olds, and Week 6 is open to 16-18 year olds.

If you are interested in attending this camp, it is not too late to register. to www.rcdony.org/camp to register, or for more information, or contact the Office of Youth Ministry at 315-393-2920. You can also see Laura Morris at the St. Kateri Center for the forms, or to help register.

### **PARISH MINISTRY MEETINGS**

Parish Pastoral Council

June 21 5:30 pm

### **Sunday Connection**

The heavenly manna was not given to satisfy the Israelites' hunger, as Moses explains. It was given to show them that man does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God. In today's Psalm, too, we see a connection between God's Word and the bread of life. We sing of God filling us with "finest wheat" and proclaiming his Word to the world. In Jesus, "the living Father" has given us His Word come down from heaven, made flesh for the life of the world.

**COLLECTIONS for: June 11 and 12, 2017** 

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